

Arizona Sentinel.

Saturday, July 6, 1872.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Sheriff.

We are hereby authorized to announce the name of GILES MERRILL as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Yuma County, at the approaching November election.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of SHERIFF of the County of Yuma, at the approaching November election.
H. E. LINDSEY.

NO RATIONS FOR JULY.—The Superintendent has notified the Agent for the Yuma, Chemehuevis, New River and Cocopah Indians that Generals Crook and Howard had decided that rations should be drawn from the Commissary. The Department Commander has directed the Commissary not to issue any more. Is that the "uplifting" policy?

THE NECESSITY OF EDUCATION.—The foreigner's education has never taught him that merchants are charging 500 per cent. for goods when he can get them at Baker's at cost, for cash.

SALUTES.—The 96th year of the independence of the United States of America was ushered in at Fort Yuma by a Federal salute of 13 guns at sunrise, a National salute of 37 guns at midday, and one gun for each Territory at sunset.

MARK OF RESPECT.—A salute of thirteen guns was fired by some of our citizens at the Capitol saloon, in honor of Col. J. G. C. Lee, A. Q. M. His rank does not entitle him to so many guns, but his worth does to many more.

PERSONAL.—Lieut. Royal Whitman passed through here last Tuesday on his way to Washington.

J. Chauncey Hayes, son of Benjamin Hayes, of San Diego, is in town on a visit to see the country.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.—This body held several meetings during the present week, but we have been unable to obtain a copy of the minutes of the proceedings.

Freight shipped to Prescott by Baker.

The Celebration.

The celebration of the 96th birthday of our national independence was a complete success, so far as it went, although no preparation whatever was made until the eleventh hour. On Wednesday afternoon, the 3d, posters were set out calling a meeting of citizens at the Court House, there to take proper steps to appropriately observe the day that is dear to every American citizen. At the appointed hour, quite a respectable audience had assembled at the place named, and then and there took the preliminary steps to celebrate the Fourth of July in as appropriate a manner as could well be done at this late hour. At the request of the unanimous voice of this meeting we give space for the minutes of the proceedings, to-wit:

The meeting was called to order by Dr. A. A. Mix, and organized by the unanimous appointment of Clarence Gray, Esq., to the chair, J. M. Redondo as Vice President, and C. L. Minor as Secretary.

Upon taking his seat, the Chairman addressed the meeting in a neat speech of about twenty minutes' duration, in which he disclosed the object of the meeting, and the necessity of manifesting our allegiance to American institutions by celebrating the anniversary of the day that gave birth to our liberty.

Judge McCarthy also addressed the assemblage in a few patriotic remarks which were well received.

On motion, Dr. A. A. Mix was appointed to read the Declaration of Independence.

On motion, Clarence Gray, Esq., was appointed orator of the day.

On motion, a committee of three was appointed to solicit funds to defray the expenses which might be incurred, and also to secure a band of music for the occasion.

Messrs. J. M. Redondo, David Neahr and Jas. M. Barney were named as such committee.

On motion, Mayor A. J. Finlay was elected President and J. M. Redondo Vice President, to preside over the celebration meeting.

On motion, the Court House was designated as the place where the celebration should take place, and 12 o'clock m. the hour.

The meeting then adjourned.

At the appointed hour and place, a goodly crowd had gathered to listen again to those words that never fail to make the true American heart throb with excitement. In the absence of the President, J. M. Redondo, the Vice President, took the chair. The gentleman designated as the reader of the Declaration of Independence having failed to make an appearance, on account of some professional engagement, Clarence Gray, Esq., at the unanimous call of all, mounted the stand, and in a style

that did him much credit, read that Declaration which to-day gives liberty and freedom to all who seek protection under its laws. Mr. Gray then delivered the oration, which, considering the short space of time in which he had to prepare himself, was worthy of many orators of the present age. He was frequently interrupted in his discourse by bursts of applause from his hearers, who, at the conclusion of the oration, gave three hearty cheers for that promising young lawyer. Similar demonstrations were also made for other prominent citizens present. At the special request of all present, Chas. Brinley sang "The Star Spangled Banner"—all present joining in the chorus.

During the day, salutes were fired in front of the Capitol saloon, and also at Fort Yuma. The flag of our country was displayed at the above named saloon, and at the flag store—Nissen & Co.—both the American and Prussian flags waved with the breeze. In the evening, Samter and Goldberg, and Baker, showed their patriotism by displaying the stars and stripes by candle-light. The day passed off very quietly—no drunken rows were participated in. The whole concluded with balls, given by some of our prominent men here, where dancing continued till near daylight, when everybody went home feeling well satisfied that they had done honor to the day that gave birth to their liberty.

MARRIED.—Yesterday afternoon, July 5th, R. B. Kelley, Justice of the Peace, united in the holy bonds of matrimony two loving hearts—Mr. Jacob Fischer and Mrs. Carmel Carreras. In a bottle of Green Seal, we wished the happy couple "many returns of the day."

RESIGNED.—We understand that our fellow-citizen and member of the Board of Supervisors—Geo. Martin—has tendered his resignation as a member of such Board.

FOR SALE.—In another column will be found the advertisement of David Neahr, offering desirable property for sale.

The card of Benjamin Hayes, Attorney and Counsellor at Law, San Diego, will be found elsewhere.

Job printing of all kind done at this office.

PROBATE COURT.

BIDWELL, JUDGE.—JULY TERM.

MONDAY, July 1.—In the matter of the estate of J. W. Jones, deceased; order granting letters to J. M. Barney, and also granting sale of personal property.

In the matter of the estate of Charles Reicet, deceased; order granting final discharge of administrator, and settlement of final account.

In the matter of the estate of Jas. F. Dana, deceased; third term report filed, and vouchers approved.

In the matter of the estate of John Kilbride, deceased; report of administrator filed, and pro rata payment ordered.

TUESDAY, July 2.—In the matter of the estate of Wm. B. Roods, deceased; petition of administrator to sell all the personal property of said estate was granted, as prayed for.

In the matter of the estate of J. W. Jones, deceased; petition of the widow of deceased, praying for setting aside homestead was objected to by the attorney for administrator; continued till Friday, July 5th.

WEDNESDAY, July 3.—In the matter of the estate of Robert Cavanaugh, deceased; motion of Isham Reavis, counsel for Wm. H. Fenest, to set day for settlement of administrator—Set for hearing on the 5th of July.

In the matter of the estate of M. D. Dobbins, deceased; petition of A. A. Mix to sell property—Set for hearing on the 13th of July.

Court then adjourned to Friday, July 5th.

FRIDAY, July 5.—In the matter of the estate of Manuel Ravena, deceased; order to sell personal property of the estate. Resignation of Juan Noli, as executor, accepted.

Estate of Robert Cavanaugh, deceased; continued until Monday.

Court adjourned till Saturday, July 6th, at 9 a. m.

The Sam Restaurant is in new hands, and the proprietors call the attention of the public. See their card.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.
This is to notify the public that I have purchased from Homesly & Keener their entire interest, title and brand to all their beef and stock cattle on the Colorado and Gila rivers. L. A. SMITH.